THE SENATE THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2015**

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Senator Russell E. Ruderman, Chair Senator Gil Riviere, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, March 24, 2015

2:45PM TIME:

PLACE: Conference Room 414

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

<u>AGENDA</u>

AGL, WAM

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. HB 508, HD1

Establishes within the Livestock Revitalization Program a grant (HSCR673) program for qualified feed developers. Appropriates funds for the Feed Developer Grant Program, reimbursements to Status & **Testimony** Qualified Producers for feed cost, and a survey of local feed

ingredient sources. (HB508 HD1)

HB 508, HD1 RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. AGL, WAM

Establishes within the livestock revitalization program a grant Proposed SD1 program for qualifies feed developers. Appropriates funds for the feed developer grant program, reimbursements to feed (HSCR673)

developers for feed costs, assistance to feed developers in the planning and construction of feed mills, and a survey of local feed ingredient sources. Authorizes the growing of industrial hemp for certain purposes under specified conditions.

Appropriates funds for Department of Agriculture staff to assist in registration of industrial hemp growers and seed testing

(proposed SD1)

Copies of the proposed SD 1 are available from the Senate

Document Center and on the Legislature's website:

www.capitol.hawaii.gov.

HB 1051, HD1 RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. AGL, CPN

Authorizes the Department of Agriculture to adopt rules relating (HSCR779) to the declaration of Hawaii origin for agricultural commodities.

Effective 7/1/2112. (HD1) Status &

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HB 1177 RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. AGL, WAM

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Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Russell E. Ruderman Chair